Chapter 13

The gastrointestinal system and associated disorders

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Further resources

The British Liver Trust

https://britishlivertrust.org.uk/

The British Liver trust are a UK charity who support people living with liver disease and liver cancer, and their carers. They award research grants and provide a wealth of information for patients, carers and healthcare professionals.

The British Society of Gastroenterology

https://www.bsg.org.uk/

This organisation focuses on gastroenterology and hepatology and has a range of resources discussing gastrointestinal conditions and innovation.

Crohn's and Colitis UK

https://www.crohnsandcolitis.org.uk/

Crohn's and Colitis UK is a charity that provides information for patients, carers and healthcare professionals on inflammatory bowel disease. There are some useful resources specifically for healthcare professionals.

Guts UK

https://gutscharity.org.uk/

Guts UK is a charity that was set up to raise money which funds research associated with GI conditions. It also raises awareness of issues around GI health. There are a lot of useful patient resources available via Guts UK about digestive system illnesses and investigations.

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The Ileostomy and Internal Pouch Support Group

https://iasupport.org/

The ileostomy and internal pouch support group is a charity set up to support people living with ileostomy or internal pouch, their families and carers. This useful site provides information for people who have had their colon removed. This support group provides a forum for those affected. You can learn more about patient experiences of pregnancy with an ileo-anal pouch.